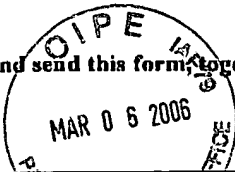


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DATE: March 6, 2006**PAGES:** 4 (including cover page)**MESSAGE**

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